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Vehicle Fire 1617 Calle Vaquero Incident #GLN1505453 4/11/15 8:06 p.m.

Calle Vaquero Vehicle Fire

On Saturday, April 11, 2015 at 8:06 p.m., 7 Glendale units (1 Battalion Chief Command Team, 3 engine companies, 2 ladder truck companies, and 1 basic life support ambulance) responded to a reported vehicle fire located at 1617 Calle Vaquero in the city of Glendale.

Engine 25 arrived on scene and discovered a three-story apartment building with heavy black smoke showing from the first floor parking garage. Upon further investigation, a vehicle was discovered engulfed in flames. Firefighters deployed multiple hand line hoses and conducted ventilation to extinguish the fire, which was contained to vehicle. Knock down of the fire was declared at 8:23 p.m., 18 minutes after units were dispatched to the scene.

The cause of the fire is under investigation. Glendale Fire Department resources were on scene for two hours and 16 minutes. Structural damage is estimated to be \$8,000, and \$15,000 in damage to contents. The Glendale Fire Department encourages residents to ensure sprinklers and smoke detectors are working properly.

The mission of the Glendale Fire Department is to protect life and property by providing the highest level of service to the community. For more information about the Glendale Fire Department, go to www.glendalefire.org.